

**REMARKS**

**I. Status of Claims**

Claims 16, 18, and 19 are pending. Claims 15 and 17, the only rejected claims, are canceled without prejudice to and/or disclaimer of the subject matter therein. Claims 16, 18 and 19 were previously allowed.

**II. Applicant's Statement of Substance of Examiner Interview**

In compliance with M.P.E.P. 713.04, the Applicant provides this Statement of Substance of Interview concerning the interview conducted on September 25, 2008 with Examiner Dove.

- (A) Exhibits. N/A.
- (B) Claim(s). 15 and 17.
- (C) References Discussed. N/A.
- (D) Amendments. Applicant would submit after-final amendment canceling claims 15 and 17.
- (E) Principal arguments of Applicant. N/A.
- (F) Other matters. N/A.
- (G) Results. Agreement was reached. Applicant would cancel claims 15 and 17 to place application in condition for allowance.

### **III. Conclusion**

All outstanding rejections have been overcome. In view of the foregoing discussion, the Applicant respectfully submits that the present application is in all aspects in allowable condition. Favorable reconsideration and early issuance of a Notice of Allowance are therefore respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (202) 220-4420 to discuss any matter concerning this application. The Office is authorized to charge any fees related to this communication to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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